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FIRST SESSION

the Memory of Senator Platt.

House Sat Three Hours.

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mously by the senate, and to an order by the speaker of the house, robbed the

Twenty Minutes in the Senate.

committee to notify the presiden

aker; other members of the hous

Speech of Mr. Williams. In a brief speech against the adop-

Vote Was Against Him.

copies of the rules ordered printed.

Drawing for Seats.

page was blindfolded and drew num-bered marbles from a box. Each num-

ber corresponded to the name of a member. The number first called was

16, and Representative Bartholdt (Mo.)

came forward and selected his seat Mr. Tawney, the Republican "whip, drew the next opportunity for selection

Minnesota drew the last seat.

Representative Fitzgerald of New

Two Committees Appointed.

Speaker Cannon announced the ap-

MESSAGE NOT READY.

tht the governor had not made any ring of what plans he has for the fu-

was explained briefly by Mr. Dal-

chatted with friends,

atives visited the galleries and

three hours, and while the pro

RST SESSION LIBERALS ONCE QUASHED IN THE 59TH CONGRESS MORE IN POWER DISTRICT COURT

Senate Adjourned Out of Respect to Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman Is Several Western Roads Violate the Prime Minister of England. Law and Get Away.

RE-ELECT SPEAKER CANNON BALFOUR FINALLY LETS GO OPINION BY JUDGE PHILIPS

GAG LAW WILL PREVAIL DURING PROBABLE MAKE-UP OF THE ELKINS ACT CANNOT BE MADE THE WINTER. NEW CABINET.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The assem-ASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The assembling today of the members of the Effty-night congress for their the Fifty-ninth congress for their climax today when Arthur J. Balfirst session was marked by no unusual four, the premier, formally tendered the western district of Missouri. incidents, but it attracted to the cap- the resignations of himself and the today delivered an opinion holdital crowds of spectators, who took a members of his cabinet to King Ed- ing that his court was without jurislively interest in the proceedings. The ward, who accepted them. His majesty diction in the cases brought here by day was beautiful. The sun shone has invited Sir Henry Campbell-Ban- the federal government charging the brightly and the air was keen. Society was out in force and filled the
reserved galleries, while visitors unable to find seats roamed the corridors to catch glimpses of public men. In the senate the proceedings were brief, A brief official announcement was to quash the proceedings was granted.

made tonight that the cabinet had resigned, that the king had accepted the resignations of his ministers, and that on the floor after adjournment as they could have experienced had the ses-

The New Cabinet.

great that the exhibition alone would have been sufficient to draw great crowds; and the absence of floral trib-Mr. Morley himself is considered likely to go to the Indian office, and it is probable that Herbert Henry Asquith will be chancellor of the exchequer. The foreign affairs portfolio will go either to Lord Elgin or Sir Edward Grey, though the latter is considered likely to be made secretary for the colonfes.

The meeting of the privy council, which was set for tomorrow morning.

which was set for temorrow morning, has been postponed. It is understood that the king will leave town tomorrow afternoon to be the guest at Lord Allington's house party at Crichel, Wimafternoon to be the guest at Lord Al-lington's house party at Crichel, Wim-borne, but this is still indefinite,

nunication he desired to make. The senate was in session only twenty min-ites. Senators Aldrich of Rhode Is-A partial list of the honors usually onferred on the retirement of a government was issued tonight. It includes a peerage for Sir Thomas Sanderson, the retiring under secretary of ook the oath of office, and an adjournment was taken as a mark of respect state for foreign affairs, and a num

Home Rule Question.

is ready with a policy which will secure the adhesion of the nationalists and at the same time avoid raising the issue as one of the most prominent.

Second, while what is known as the Second, while what is known as the Second, while what is known as the same time avoid raising the issue as one of the most prominent. issue as one of the most prominent planks in his platform.

of the rules, the minority leader, Williams of Mississippi, touched on 'ideas" which were being "wafted An interesting feature of the political situation is the prospect of a closer alliance between the Irish and the laat be properly legislated should the James Keir Hardie, the socialist and independent member, in a political speech tonight frankly invited such an alliance. He pointed out that fortyfive labor members combined with several state. The concepts for Link ways have the several state of the several st Democratic members in opnosing adoption of the old rules and formration of such legislation as popular enty-five Irish members would provide a voting strength which no govern-

I that the rules offered for adoption MUCH SPECULATION.

e previous question, Mr. Williams se-red a rollcall. The vote was 228 for d 123 against ordering the previous eral Cabinet. was ordered that the daily session

On Mr. Tawney's motion the drawing for seats was begun. It was previousdifficulties will arise from the final distrible candidates. It is believed that the Earl of Aberdeen will be the new lord lieutenant of Ireland and that Herbert John Glactions will be named as secretary of state for the home department, It is, however, impossible to make predictions with any degree of certainty and probably it will be the end of the week before the new ministry is definitely constituted. arranged, after some discussion, hat the party division aisle should be lade the first aisle from the center on he Democratic side, instead of the enter afsle, this being necessary to acommodate the larger proportion of tepublican members. The new ar-

ingement gives the majority the first center alsle on the minority side, also the last section of eighteen seats, known as the "Cherokee Strip," on the

Ex-Speaker Keifer of Ohio and Representative Bingham of Pennsylvania, father of the house; Payne of New York, Republican floor leader, and Williams of Mandal floor leader, and Williams liams of Mississippi, Democratic floor leader, were permitted to choose their neats before drawing. The members

SENATOR CLARK IN HIS SEAT

Montana Statesman Congratulated today, Upon the Complete Restoration of His Health. (Special to The Herald.)

Washington, Dec. 4.-Senator William A. Clark of Montana arrived here at 4 A. Clark of Montana arrived here at a o'clock this morning, coming in his private car in which he recently made an extended tour of the west. He attended the opening of congress and received many congratulations from his fellow senators upon his complete restoration to good health.

On Wednesday Senator Clark will attend as a delegate from Montana the

Antment of the committees on rules and mileage as follows:
Rules—The speaker. Dalzell of Pennon Wednesday Senator Clark will a send as a delegate from Montana the convention which is to be held at Madiss Square garden, New York, under the au pices of the National Civic Federatio and which will discuss the question immigration. Senator Clark, who is immigration. cylvania, Grosvenor of Ohio, Williams of Mississippi, De Armond of Missouri, Mileage—Reeder of Kansas, Flack of New York, Wharton of Illinois, Lewis Resolutions lamenting the death of Senator Platt of Connecticut and Rep-resentative B. F. Marsh of Illinois were As a further mark of respect to the deceased, the house adjourned at 3:35

Madison. Wis.. Dec. 4.—The legislature, which has been called together for a special session by Governor LaFollette, met here at 2 o'clock this afternoon, but beyond organizing nothing was accomplished. The anxiously-awaited message

MAGAZINE EXPLODED. Lille, France, Dec. 4.—An explosion in the magazine of the citadel during the manufacture of cartridges injured eight Some of them were seri

RETROACTIVE.

ed States district court for other products, in violation of the El-

On March 25, 1902, at the instigation resignations of his ministers, and that Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman had been sent for.

Cut and Dried Programme.

On March 25, 1802, at the instigation of the attorney general's office at Washington, Judge Philips granted a temporary order restraining the Missouri Pacific, the Santa Fe, the Chi-It would now appear that the entire programme has been cut and dried for some time, and it is even probable that the liberal leader has already formed his cabinet, though this, like everything else in connection with British officialdom, must be left to surmise.

It may be stand as agree in the formal forms and the source is a source for the railways named for contempt, in the source is a source for the railways named for contempt, in the source is a source for the railways named for contempt, in the source is a source for the railways named for contempt, in the source for the source else in connection with British officialdom, must be left to surmise.

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needings for many years, there was enough of
interest to hold an exceptionally large
audience during the entire time.

One noticeable feature was the absence of flowers, which heretofore have
been common to both chambers. On
opening days the display had been so
opening days the display had been so
opening that the exhibition alone would was without jurisdiction

Judge Philips' Opinion.

The grounds of the decision in Judge

tion of the attorney general that the United States had a right to resort to the United States circuit court in equity to carry out the policy of the inter-state commerce law and to enjoin rail roads generally from violating it.

Supreme Court Decision.

But after the temporary restraining prominent members of the retiring order was made, and after the demur overnment will be announced shortly. rer to the original bill was argued and United States, in the case of Missouri thing is certain—that Sir Henry Pacific Railway company vs. United bell-Bannerman has explained his. attitude on home rule for Ireland to cided that the United States circuit those liberal leaders who are known to be opposed to home rule on the lines of relief; so when the restraining order CISCO GOT \$7.500. the last bills introduced in parliament. Since his speech at Stirling, which court for the western district of Misraised such a furore, Sir Henry has not souri the court was without jurisdiction made any statement, but it is confident to make it: and, therefore, the defend-ly asserted in the liberal clubs that he ant could not be held to be in contempt

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ment, however strong, could afford to it be as alleged in these transactions) ignore. that it is without authority in this pro London Press Selecting the New Lib. ceeding to draw to it the question involved, rightfully belonging to the jurisdiction of the United States circuit courts for the districts of Kansas and ndon. Dec. 5. The London newspathis morning are full of speculations of the constitution of the new cabinet, these differ so widely that they are ses as a guide to the distribution of folios. The ministry of Sir Henry pbell-Bannerman must of necessity argely composed of new men, and culties will arise from the number of bie candidates.

EFFECT OF BAD BOOZE

Native Policeman Shot Dead by Lieutenant Pendleton of the Philippine Constabulary. Cebu, P. I., via Manile, Dec. 4 .- Lieu-

tenant Charles Pendleton of the constabulary ordered four native soldiers into the vehicle in which he was driving. A native policeman stopped him nd ordered him to light the lamps on the vehicle, when Pendleton shot dead. He then continued on his way, claiming that he had found the man dead on the road. The soldiers accom-panying him confirmed his story, until when they broke down. Pendle ton had been drinking.

Pendleton's family live at Atlanta Ga. He was formerly a sergeant in the Seventy-first regiment of New York, He

has been held for murder. Louisville, Ky., Dec. 4.—Pendleton was a member of company H, Seventy-first New York regiment during the

WORK BLOCKED OUT BY FRENCH OF IDAHO

ish-American war, and saw serv-

(Special to The Herald.) Washington, Dec. 4.—Representative French of Idaho believes the homestead ine speakers at the convention and will aid in formulating an immigration bill for introduction in congress. During the immigration convention, which will be in session three days, the delegates will wish the limits in the same examination and investigation made of actual immigrants.

PRIZES AWARDED.

Stockholm, Dec 4.—The Nobel prize committee is understood to have decided to award the prize for literature to Henry Sienkiewicz, and the prize for medicine to Professor Robert Kock.

MAGAZINE

NEW CASE OF FEVER.

Havana, Dec. 4.—One new case of yellow fever was reported today, and there was one death from the disease. There are sixteen cases now under treatment



His Busy Day.

LITTLE FISH

Peculations in the Mutual Reserve Insurance Company.

SICKENING STORY OF GRAF

CISCO GOT \$7,500.

esting development in the legislative life insurance investigation today was contained in the testimony of Horace A. Brockway, a hotel proprietor and di-rector of the Mutual-Reserve Life Insurance company, who said that he had given \$6,000 to President Frederick A. Barnham of that company at the demand of Mr. Burnham in 1898. Mr. Brockway told the committee that Mr. Burnham told the make him a director. Mr. Brockway then took out policies amounting to \$6,000. After having been a director for some time, he was put on the payroll of the company at \$300 a week, received that salary for four months and then it, was cut to \$200 a week. Asked what he did to carn that money, he said he looked over some loans for the company, was consulted by policy holders as to whether the company was a soon a week eight weeks when Mr. Burnham director. Mr. Brockway then took out policies amounting to \$6,000. After having been a director for some time, he was put on the payroll of the company at \$300 a week, received that salary for four months and then it, was cut to \$200 a week. Asked what he did to carn that money, he said he looked over some loans for the company was a spond one to insure in and did whatever he was asked to do. He had been getting \$300 a week eight weeks when Mr. Burnham did whatever the was asked to do. He had been getting \$300 a week eight weeks when Mr. Burnham of that company was done to insure in and did whatever the was asked to do. He had been getting \$300 a week eight weeks when Mr. Burnham of that company was a soul on the payroll of the company was a soul on the payroll of the company was a soul on the payroll of the company was a soul on the payroll of the company was a soul on the payroll of the ance company, who said that he had

Hilary Bell Got It.

What President Burnnam did with that money was explained by George D. Eldredge, vice president and actuary of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance company, who testified that President Burnham told him he had given it to Hilary Bell, a newspaper man and publicity agent of the company, to secure the publication of the articles favorable to the company at a time when it was being criticized in the newspapers. Mr. Bell had said that he could accomplish much more with the money if he were not compelled to report to the company just what he ex-

Burnham Is "Sick."

Mr. Brockway said he is still a director of the company. The reason why President Burnham was not called before the committee was given by his physician, who told the committee today that Mr. Burnham is too sick to appear or even make a deposition.

Vice President Eldredge also testified that his company had much trouble with Andrew J. Clumie when he was superintendent of insurance of California and in six years from 18% paid Thomas J. Clunie, the commissioner's brother, \$7.500 in counsel fees to represent the company before the insurance commissioner and legislature of that state.

On a New Lead.

Mr. Hughes was investigating the relations of the Mutual Reserve Life Insurance company with the New York
state insurance department when the
committee adjourned until tomorrow.
Senator Armstrong, chairman of the
committee, said today that the committee expected to finish its work by Dec.
31, but that if it did not the committee
would not pass out of existence when the
legislature assembled unless that body
so ordered.

KANSAS LAND FRAUDS

Topeka, Kan., Dec. 4.—The special United States grand jury called to in-vestigate alleged land frauds in Kanvestigate alleged land frauds in Kansas commenced its work at Topeka today. Before taking up the alleged land men the Ballot?" at the Baptist church swindles the grand jury will investigate the fencing of public land by the cattle barons of western Kansas. United States District Attorney J. S. Deen recently went to Washington to confer with officials of the department of justice regarding the prosecution of the settlemen. One of the important of the settlemen. One of the important of the purpose of the properties of the settlemen. One of the important of the purpose of the properties of the settlemen. miles, over half of which is government refining the men than by the vulgariz-

ALL RECORDS BROKEN.

Washington, Dec. 4.—Records for the introduction of bills were breken today by the house. Four hundred and thrity-one public bills were offered and private bills so numerous that employes had not counted all the bills with the complete of them up to a late hour.

MARCHED UNDER BLACK BANNERS

One Hundred Thousand Jews Marched in New York Accompanied by Bands Playing Dirges in Memory of the Slaughtered Russian Hebrews.

New York, Dec. 4.—One hundred thousand Jews, each wearing a band of black crepe on the left arm, marched under a myriad of black banders through the principal streets of the east side today, accompanied by bands playing dirges in amemory of the Jews life, and we urge our people to take uparms against their assailants and if needs be, to sell their lives most dearly. We call upon Jews everywhere to aid in the bands were scattered throughout the long parade. A procession marched to the piaza in Union Square, where it resolved itself into a mass meeting to formulate resolutions.

Russian atrocities and calling upon the behalf of the Jews the resolutions continue:

"To our overwhelming shame, disappointment and sorrow, we realize that eternal vigilance is the price of the Jew's life, and we urge our people to take uparms against their assailants and if needs be, to sell their lives most dearly. We call upon Jews everywhere to aid in the defense of the Jewish points in the city memorial services were held today for the Jews to meet the wishes of the moderate and services were held today for the Jews

Brief, terse resolutions were read by their leaders to the thousands of paraders. The voting was done orally with a great show in which the resolutions were adopted unanimously. After outlining the

MRS. CHADWICK FAILED TO GIVE

Cleveland, O., Dec. 4.—Mrs. Cassie L. Chadwick was taken into the federal bankruptcy court today upon her own request, for the purpose, as she stated.

The court that the only dealings he had with Mrs. Chadwick was about four years ago when she borrowed \$8,500 from the bank and some months later the stated.

The country from complete anarchy. A decision was reached to grant practically universal, secret and equal suffrage to males 25 years of age on the basis of one representative for each 250,000 of the poppers.

request, for the purpose, as she stated, of completing her testimony as to some of her financial dealings. Although she has recently stated that she could reveal certain facts of importance, nothing of that nature was brought out and the hearing ended with Mrs. Chadwick in a condition bordering on collapse.

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Mrs. Chadwick said that she would make some further statements concerning her transactions provided that the benefited to the extent of hundreds of thousands of dollars by her and the money might be recovered for the benefit of the creditors if suits were certain persons who have benefited begin. Pressed for the names, she recovered for the benefit of the creditors if suits were benefited begin. Pressed for the names, she recovered for the provided that the creditors if suits were benefited begin. Pressed for the names, she recovered for the provided that the creditors if suits were benefited beginned to the extremits are willing to accept this solution, the support of the moderates will not greatly improve the situation, as the latter in the present contains the containing the con certain persons who have benefited begun. Pressed for the names, she re-greatly through her dealings would fused to give them, and finally showed Perhaps it is too much to hope that the first tell what they knew. She mentioned Dr. W. H. Kitchen, president of the State Savings & Trust company of taken back to jail she said she would duced to cease their efforts, which are this city, and J. A. Smith, an attorney, give the names to Trustee Nathan now entirely directed to winning over and one of the directors of the bank. Loeser in private, and he could do what the army. The telegraph operators have replied to Count Witte's refusal

STATE LAND BOARD DEEDS FORGED BY OREGON BAND OF CONSPIRATORS

Portiand, Ore., Dec. 4.—A special dispatch to the Evening Telegram from Salem states that State Land Agent West has discovered evidence that state land board deeds have been forged by the land fraud conspirators. Should West's suspicions prove correct an even worse condition in the public land conspiracy in this state will be revealed. It is believed that state deeds have been placed on record in every service of the land. When two or more persons offer to pay taxes on the same place of land the county officials will be case when two or more persons offer to pay taxes on the same place of land the county officials will be case when two or more persons offer to pay taxes on the same place of land the county officials will be case when two or more persons offer to pay taxes on the same place of land the county officials will be case when two or more persons offer to pay taxes on the same place of land the county officials will be case when two or more lamped to discover the fraud, as was the case when two or more claimants of the same place of land the county officials will be case when two or more lamped to discover the fraud, as was the case when two or more lamped to discover the fraud, as was the case when two or more lamped to discover the fraud, as was the case when two or more lamped to discover the fraud, as was the case when two or more lamped to discover the fraud, as was the case when two or more lamped to discover the fraud, as was the case when two or more lamped to discover the fraud, as was the case when two or more lamped to discover the fraud, as was the case when two or more lamped to discover the fraud, as was the case when two or more lamped to discover the fraud, as was the case when two or more lamped to discover the fraud, as was the case when two or more lamped to discover the fraud, as was the case when two or more lamped to discover the fraud, as was the case when two or more lamped to discover the fraud, as was the case when two or more lamped to discover the fraud, as was the case when

have been placed on record in every county in the state. It will require a long period to ascertain the trae extent of the latest phase in the frauds. as the only sure way of tracing the supposed fraudulent deeds is when the victims of the conspirators offer to pay

PARSON PETERS' VIEW WILL BE INVESTIGATED Noted Baptist Divine Does Not Think

Giving Women the Ballot Would Be Wise.

the cattlemen. One of the important cases of this class will be that of John A. Kelley of Stevens county, who, it is alleged, has fenced in a single pasture containing about fifty-four square it is alleged. I would rather it were done by the region reached United States a half interest in a drug store at Amsterdam, N. His brother. Frank I. Adams, is it is alleged in a single pasture containing about fifty-four square

ship would make such a change a voman. A female man, an affected driveling, little dodle, a weak sister dressed up in men's clothing, is enough to fill you with disgust, but of a man-nish woman, good Lord deliver me from expressing my opinion lest I should say something not in the prayer-book,

PROPERTY IN THE EAST

Adams, defaulting cashier of the gov ernment assay office in this city, pur chased with money supposedly steler from the United States a half interes information reached United States At remining the their descriptions of women.

2 Would a woman's vote alter things? Yes. If only good women vote. Few good wemen would avail themselves of the privilege, but all the bad women would.

To remay Frye this afternoon. Mr. Frye will take steps to attach the property. The secret service officials are now making a thorough investigation in New York and Boston, believing that Adams owned interests there also. It is now known that other arrests in contoday by the house. Four hundred today by the house. Four hundred and thirty-one public bills were oftered, and private bills

NEWS COMING BY CHANCE OFFERED ROUNDABOUT WAY TO REPUBLICANS

Under Great Strain.

THE TIDE.

3, 9 p. m., via Eydtkuhen. East

Prussia, Dec. 4.-The city re-

and infantry are in the streets, es-

pecially in the neighborhood of the tel-

Unmoved by Threats.

proclamation warning not only the Russian but the Danish operators to work at their peril.

The authorities profess confidence that the strike will be broken in a few days, but the basis of their optimism not stated. The immolation of li

terior Minister Durnovo seems to offer a way of retreat for the government. This involves another surrender before

Two Expedients.

ind a common ground on which

Count Witte is now convinced that

extreme elements can stand. If this fails to stay the headlong march of events, the proclamation of a readymade constitution might be tried as the

last card. Then nothing would remai

xcept the presentation of a dictator

to treat with them by an open letter declaring they will have no negotiations

with Interior Minister Durnovo, and

must now continue the strike, until first the abrogation of all government

neasures to prevent the organization nd activity of their congress, and sec-

ond, the liberation and reinstatement

of their allied comrades.

The threatened strike of the police

and house porters today did not ma-

The mutineers of Sebastopol will be

Arms for Finland.

Stockholm, Dec. 4.-Great quantities of

Uprising Expected.

Signatures Forged.

St. Petersburg. Lec. 3, via Eydtkuhnen, East Prussia, Dec. 4.—The navy department has discovered that alleged contracts for the repatriation of prisoners at Vladivostok to which the forged signatures of Vice Admiral Birileff, minister of marine, is attached, are beine sold to foreign shipping firms, including the Messageries Martilmes Steamblis com-

Republic Organized.

St. Petersburg, via Edytkuhnen, East Prussia, Dec. 4.—News which has a curious parallel in the French revolution comes from a little village on the borders of the Baltic, where the people have or ganized the "Republic of Novargansk," They have issued a manifesto abolishing the rule not only of the emperor but of the deity, which has been read in the thurches and the popular assembly halls

Preparing for Flight.

St. Petersburg, via Eyetkuhnen, East Prussia, Dec. 4.-It is reported from Cron-

oreign shipping firms, including Messageries Maritimes Steamship pany of France.

tried by court-martial.

victorious proletariat.

St. Petersburg Has Quiet Sunday, but John Sharp Williams Introduces a Few Bills.

LAST EDITION

WEATHER FOR SALT LAKE.

OPERATORS REMAIN FIRM TARIFF REFORM POSSIBLE

STRENGTH OF PARTY TIES TO COUNT WITTE TRYING TO STEM

St. Petersburg, Dec. 3, via Ber-+ tive Williams of Mississippi, the leader of the minority in the house, Several factories are + are full of life and there have + plate free trade with the Philippines; T. PETERSBURG, Sunday, Dec.

2 9 p. m. via Evylikuhen Pasti bill regarding eampaign contr prevails. Armed patrols of cavalry

Only the First Step.

pecially in the neighborhood of the tel-egraph office. The telegraph and postal tie-up remains complete. Soldiers and employes of other departments are be-ing used to deliver portions of the vast accumulation of mail. Mr. Williams said today that of bills may be looked for, as he would a be satisfied with the revision to the tent indicated, but from his standpoit was merely the first step in the riging the and an invitation to the Po it was merely the first step in the right direction and an invitation to the Republican party to declare good intentions. Mr. Williams introduced a bill to authorize the imposition of an income tax. The Philippines tariff bill provides that all articles, the product and growth of the Philippines, shall be admitted into the United States free of import duty and that all articles, the product and growth of the balance of the United States, shall be admitted into the Philippines free of import duty and that nothing contained in the bill shall be construed to repeal any provision of the Paris treaty between the United States and Spain. The telegraph operators met yester-day's threat to discharge them today, unless they returned to work by re-solving to prosecute the strike until their demands are satisfied. The League of Leagues, which is issuing decrees like a veritable provisional government, has openly defied the prefect's warning to walking delegates and agitators that any attempts to persuade em-ployes to leave their work would lead to their arrest and the imposition of a fine of \$250, and is issuing a counter

Minimum Tariff.

Another bill proposes to establish a minimum tariff of the United States. It declares the existing tariff schedule to constitute the minimum tariff of the United States and a reduction of 20 per cent from them, or rates equal to four-fifths of the existing duties, to constitute the minimum tariff of the United States. The bill extends the operation of the minimum tariff to all such countries as grant admission to their markets of articles the product and growth of the United States at the minimum tariff rates levied by them. Mr. Williams said he had selected 20 per cent as the amount of portunity to act and with the knowledge of the fact that they would meet no factious opposition but with the he support of the Democrats.

Amendment to Dingley Act.

off. M. Kuzminkara and M. Vieff, to Campaign Contributions. The bill regarding compaign contribu-tions, which indicates the trend of Mr. Williams' thoughts and probably that of his party associates in connection with the impression made by the life insur-ance investigation forbids any national

COAST GETS A MEMBER.

Franklin Lane to Be on the Inter-State Commerce Commission.

Washington, Dec. 4 .- At least two bills providing for important changes in the land laws will be introduced at timber and stone act, and the other will make it possible for purely agricultural land in forest reserves to be acquired by settlers under the homestead laws. Representative Lacey, chairman of the house committee on public lands, will introduce both of these measures.

crat, and his appointment will chang the political complexion of the interstate commerce commission from Republican to commerce commission from Republican to Democratic. Former Governor Fifer of Illinois, whom Mr. Lane will succeed on the commission, is a Republican, as also are Commissioners Knapp and Prouty. Commissioners Knapp and Clements are Democrats, While Mr. Lane also has been a Democrat in policies, he was a supporter of President Roosevelt in the last campaign. In connection with this appointment it is pointed out that in the event of the enactment of railroad rate legislation by the present congress the interstate commerce commission very likely will be reorganized.

Koenigsberg, East Prussia, Dec. 4.—The Ostrepussiche Zeitung prints reports received from Libau, saying that several of the nobility, officials and other residents of Livonia and Courland have been attacked by peasants, killed and terribly mutilated. Baron Campenhausen was severely wounded. Bands of several hundred peasants are roving about robbing and killing. A general insurrection of the peasants and laborers is expected. WILL HELP PROSECUTE SLAYER OF HIS BROTHER

(Special to The Herald.) Wzshington, Dec. 4,—Adam E, Leckic, an attorney of this city, left here today for Lander. Wyo., where he will assist the prosecution in the trial of a man who shot and killed his brother, Samuel Leckie of Fremont county last summer.

stadt that a German squadron has been sighted in the Baltic sea near the Rus-sian coast. Rumor attributes the appear ance of the squadron as preparatory to the flight of the Russian imperial family Agrarian and anti-Jewish outbreaks are reported to have occurred in the governof Chernigoff, Terek, Kursk and

St. Petersburg, Dec. 3, via Eydtku. ec. 4.—The trial of Mme. Leontiff. a